

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph beginning on line 1, page 1 as follows:

The present invention relates to means for varying the operating parameters in a pneumatic structural element ~~according to the precharacterising part of claim 1.~~

Please amend the paragraph beginning on line 19, page 3 as follows:

~~The solution of this task is provided in the characteristic part of claim 1 as far as its essential characteristics are concerned, an in the further claims as far as supplementary advantageous embodiments are concerned.~~